IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: Kazutaka HARA et al. Art Unit: 2875

Application Number: 10/570,141 Examiner: Jacob Choi

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For: LIGHT SOURCE AND LIQUID CRYSTAL DISPLAY

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION/ELECTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents July 14, 2008 P. O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Restriction/Election Requirement dated June 12, 2008, applicants elect to prosecute Species (II). It is believed that claims 8-23 and 27-28 read on the elected species. This election is made <u>without traverse</u>, and it is understood that Applicants' rights to the filing of a divisional application directed to the non-elected subject matter under 35 U.S.C. §120 and 35 U.S.C. §121 are retained.

If this paper is not timely filed, Applicant(s) respectfully petition(s) for an appropriate extension of time. The fees for such an extension or any other fees that may be due with respect to this paper may be charged to Deposit Account No. 50-2866.

Respectfully submitted,

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